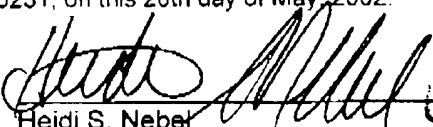


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Applicant: Streit, et. al.

Art Unit: 1638

Serial No.: 09/747,589

Examiner: Ashwin D. Mehta, Ph.D.

Filed: December 22, 2000

For: Soybean Variety 92B84

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provision of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application for two months from March 18, 2002 to May 18, 2002.

Applicant is a large entity; therefore, please charge Deposit Account 26-0084 in the amount of \$400.00 to cover the cost of the two months extension.

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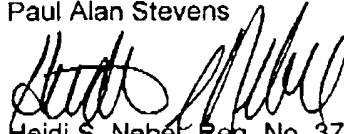
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